

NAVY TEAM OPENS FOOTBALL SEASON WITH GEORGETOWN

Will Have But Two Weeks Preparation Before Meeting Hilltoppers.

INGRAM CALLS FOR SEPT. 20

Coach Expects Work Done in Spring and Winter to Help Condition.

ANNAPOLIS, Sept. 15.—The main squad of Naval Academy football players will report for practice on September 20. Though they will have but two weeks to prepare for the opening game, which will be against Georgetown on October 2, it is believed that a well-prepared eleven can be put in the field.

This belief is based on the number of experienced men who are available, and the unusual amount of work which was done during the winter and spring in preparation for the work of the fall. Then, the services of an unusually large number of likely men in the new class are available.

Early last winter as many of the football men who were available took up light practice, while others were engaged in some other line of athletics which kept them in condition. During the spring, a number of the football men rowed or played baseball or lacrosse, but as the different sports finished their season, the football men reported to Lieut. Jonas Ingram, the head coach, for football work.

Toward the close of the season, he had the entire football squad for some time. As soon as the new class formed, the football men worked out twice a week, and for three weeks past daily practice has been the rule. Thus, the squad is more ready to get down to real football than any previous squad in the history of the Academy.

Without counting on any of the new men and their work, the team looks much above the ordinary—an eleven, which past form indicates to be strong, can be formed for use against Georgetown on October 2. Most of the players in the team this season, would naturally be at quarterback. Toward the close of last season, his work enabled him to displace such a player as Mitchell in the position. He is strong and fast, handles the team well, and is looked into a brilliant runner with the ball.

Naval coaches have followed the policy of using all backs, except the quarters, at any position behind the line, and they should have no difficulty in forming either a team in which the plugging, line-breaking type of back predominates, or one in which reliance is placed on speed and cleverness in running. Edging and blocking, each weighing over 150 pounds, and each with much experience, are the big fellows upon which most reliance is placed. Bushells is also a powerful back, of the short, stocky type. Craig and Vail are two fast backs from whom much is expected this year.

Two ends who appear to have requisite strength, speed, and aptitude for the work to make them acceptable, are T. W. Harrington, Jr., and Jackson, and Woodward and Broadfoot are also good men in the position. For the positions inside of end, there are Ward, Dab, Kennedy, Mills, H. S. Jones, and R. H. Jones.

The new class is particularly strong in big fellows who are likely to make strong bids for line positions. Among them are Gilman who played tackle at Cornell, and C. E. Smith, who gained experience at Sewanee.

Twenty-one Hits Bring Only Seven Runs to Feds

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 15.—The Newark Federals made no fewer than twenty-one hits off the delivery of Black, Crandall and Davenport here yesterday, yet they were hard pressed to win from the Fielders by a score of 7 to 6. Moreover, the visitors counted five doubles in the game, and Charley Chapman in their efforts to run the bases.

So ludicrous were the attempts of the Newark men on the lines that they came down to the seventh frame a run in the back. It was then that they tied the score, and in the ninth House singled, stole second and made the rest of the trip on a double by Jimmy Esmond.

Battling Levinsky Wins From Ferguson in Boston

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Hub fight fans were more than ever convinced today that Studsy Ferguson can not come back. The Chelsea strong boy lost last night's twelve-round bout at the Atlas A. A. with Battling Levinsky, of Philadelphia, despite the fact that he outweighed the Quaker battler many pounds and frequently roughed it. Outside of the first round, Levinsky had his larger opponent sized up to perfection, and had the better of the remaining rounds by a good margin.

May Ask Explanation From Referee Bill Joh

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Billy Joh, referee of the McElvaine-Ferguson fight last Saturday night, may be summoned before the New York State Boxing Commission to explain why he expressed a private opinion after the fight that "it was about a draw." According to New York law, he violated the boxing laws by so expressing himself.

The boxing commission at its meeting last night was understood to be incensed over Joh's action.

Offer Mrs. Cuneo Purse To Lower Mile Mark

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 15.—Five thousand dollars is the purse offered Mrs. Joan Cuneo, of New York city, by State fair officials here, if she will lower her record of 24 miles, 100 yards and 4 seconds, by making a mile track here.

The Gotham woman will make the attempt during the speed events, September 17 and 18, over the mile track here.

Georgetown Has Its Practice Scrimmage

Hilltoppers, Scorning Hot Weather, Prepare to Hustle on Plays Meant for Princeton—Mike Thompson to Coach Baltimore City Collegians.

Georgetown's gridiron gladiators are to engage in their first scrimmage of the 1915 season to-day under the direction of Coach Exendine, who wants to see if some of his most promising players can produce as much against opposition as they do against the empty air. It is expected that the first eleven will have the following line-up: Cusack and Showalter, ends; Gormley and Ward, tackles; Green and Captain Barron, guards; McCarthy, center; McNamara, quarterback; Kilroy and Dempsey, half backs; and Wall, fullback. However, this line-up is by no means settled as the aggregation to start against Princeton. Coach Exendine has such a wealth of material for all positions that he is somewhat at a loss what to do with some of his players.

MAHLUM IN FINE CONDITION.

"Blondy" Mahlum has reported to Coach Exendine and the 1914 guard is in perfect condition. He is going to make a battle for a place on the varsity, and those who saw him last fall know that some fun is coming to the candidate playing against Mahlum. Three new players have joined the squad at the Hilltop in Cass, a center from Salem, Mass.; Jurack, center from St. Bonaventure Prep, and Davis, quarterback from Hamilton Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Yesterday the Hilltoppers had a long second drill, and then practiced breaking interference. Though weather conditions were bad for football, the athletes labored just as hard as if snow had been falling. Coach Exendine expressed himself as well satisfied with the practice when it was over.

Mike Thompson, former Georgetown coach, will teach football this season at Baltimore City College. Thompson's ability is known throughout the East, several of the large colleges employing him each year to referee or umpire important football contests. He has officiated at Army-Navy games, and has been a prominent figure at Yale, Harvard, Brown, Cornell, Carleton, Indiana, and several mid-western colleges.

Charlie Brickley, who is head coach at Johns Hopkins this season, may make his home in Baltimore, a flattering position having been offered him by a bonding house. If he decides to accept it, Brickley will make him one of its leading sporting figures. He will be assisted in his coaching by Henry E. Brenneke, an old Harvard player, who until this year has been coaching Baltimore City College. Johns Hopkins' candidates are due to report today for their first practice of the season.

Dartmouth, the most consistent eleven of the last four years, should have a lot of trouble for all opponents this season, if Frank Cavanaugh can find capable ends. With the exception of Telford and the entire line is back this fall. Ghee, the alert quarterback; Murdock, Whitney, and Curtis, the stellar backfield, have graduated, but Cavanaugh has a fast, strong string of backs.

BIG SWIM STARTS FOR POLICE TODAY

Commissioner Brownlow and Official of Final Meet at Municipal Pool.

Washington's "finest" will take water today when policeman from different precincts compete in a varied program of swimming events in the final swimming meet.

"M.C.s of life-saving are listed among the events. Spirited competition has marked the preliminaries, and today's races, starting at 2 p. m., are expected to draw well.

Commissioner Brownlow is one of the officials. Major Pullman is expected to be the hand-carrier for the event. The summaries of events follow:

50-yard breast stroke carry, partners changing places at the end of the first thirty yards—Ogle and Turner, Foley and Smoot, Koontz and Conrad, Thomas and Quinlan, Broderick and Mansfield, Boyle and Tucker, Brown and Totten, Boyle and Tucker, Brown and Totten, Boyle and Tucker, Brown and Totten.

50-yard breast stroke—Green, Koontz, Boyle, Conrad, Scherer, Alexander, and Strawser.

400-foot novelty—Open to the public. 45-foot novice; for those who could not swim prior to August 27—Pike, heat, Totten, Brown, Kenney, Matthews, Sholtz, Holmes, Totten, Brown, Kenney, Matthews, Sholtz, Holmes, Totten, Brown, Kenney, Matthews, Sholtz, Holmes.

Understanding competition—Open to the public. 100-foot novice, for those who could not swim prior to August 27—Sanders, Tucker, Servino, Carth, Roper, Ogle, Mansfield, Cockrell, Cox and Helmutz. Break front neck grip, tow for thirty yards by the head carry, partners change places and return—Kenney and Scherer, Frennis and Eby, Alexander and Quinlan, Koontz and Conrad, Burke and Strawser, Thomas and Walsh, and Pywell and Peck.

Final of the 45-foot novice—Open to the public. 50-yard swim—Green, Thomas, Boyle, Totten, Brown, Kenney, Matthews, Sholtz, Holmes, Totten, Brown, Kenney, Matthews, Sholtz, Holmes.

TWO LEAGUES START BOWLING ACTIVITY

Georgetown Commercial and Red Men Get Under Way Soon.

There is still no frost on the pumpkin, the chestnut burrs show not the slightest hint of showering nuts, the committee on straw hats has about concluded to extend the official opening day for the fall till until some time later when the mercury decides to subside. Summer is still with us, but none of these things keep the bowler from getting ready and actually starting the official season.

Leagues are springing up over night and advance notices arrive like bills on the first of the month. F. A. Armstrong, who is the secretary of the thriving Georgetown Commercial League, says that practically all of the big business houses across the creek are going to get in line this season. A meeting has been scheduled for tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the Potomac alleys. No date has been set for the official opening of the league, but the details will be arranged later.

October 4 will find a new circuit in operation. Members of the Improved Order of Red Men met last night at the Red Men's club and organized the new Red Men's Bowling League.

The following officers were elected for ensuing season: Harry Lewis, president; John B. Altman, Jr., vice president; J. A. Dugan, secretary; L. H. Bergman, treasurer, and William Ryan, official scorer.

The new league will be composed of six teams at present, namely: Logan, Idaho, Osage, Seneca, Mineola, and Potomac. Captain Hill, of Commercial alleys, will roll on the Potomac, Capitol Hill, and Commercial alleys.

President W. S. Stamper, of the Departmental Duckpin League, will work with the officers of the circuit on the schedule tonight. A meeting of the league has been called for Friday night at 8 o'clock at the National Capital Bowling alleys.

MINCE PIE
"LITTLE OF EVERYTHING"
BY "BUGS" BAER.

Up Squirrels, and At 'Im! It is the consensus of opinion among baseball players that Dumb is left handed.

The man, who wouldn't allow his offspring to blow 'emself up with cannons on the Fourth, will allow them to pick nuthrooms in a forest, thus providing intelligence on the part of Noah, who should have shoved all the bugs overboard.

Don't Effortively thought Clark Griffith agreed with the Virginia faculty in opposing summer baseball.

A glance at the aggregate area of Connie Mack's results indicate the Wizard has great faith in the Montessori system.

DAVID RUDOLPH
"The only bird who can carry a whole team on his shoulders is a solitary player."

A Cleveland scientist has discovered a substitute for rubber. If he can discover a way to get runners over it, he can have Lee Fohl's job.

Buffalo Bill has quit the broncho for the automobile. The age of romance would be past if it weren't for the fact that an ump gets hit on the shins with a foul ball once in a while.

Nowadays, chickens come home to roost, but gosh, some of 'em stay out late.

Hendryx to Join Yanks.
NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Tim Hendryx, the slugging outfielder, has left New Orleans to join the Yankees here. He will be placed in the line-up as soon as he arrives, announced Manager Donovan today.

Big League Biffers Of a Day

	A.B.	H.	T.B.	Ave.
Burns, Phillies...	3	3	3	1.000
Hornshy, Cards...	2	2	2	1.000
Doolin, Giants...	1	1	1	1.000
Caldwell, Yanks...	1	1	1	1.000
Lapp, Athletics...	1	1	1	1.000
Evans, Indians...	1	1	1	1.000
Sisler, Browns...	4	3	3	.750
Merkle, Giants...	4	3	3	.750
Wingo, Reds...	4	3	3	.750
Cravath, Phillies...	4	3	3	.750
McBride, Griffs...	3	2	2	.667
Ruth, Red Sox...	3	2	2	.667
Stengel, Dodgers...	3	2	2	.667
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Ethel Clayton and Jack Standing in "It Was to Be" (Lubin), the Masonic Auditorium, Thirteenth street and New York avenue.
Wallace Eddinger in "The Gentleman of Leisure" (Lasky), Grandall's Apollo, 624 H street north-east.
Mrs. Leslie Carter in "Dix Barry" (George Kleine), the Circle, 2105 Pennsylvania avenue.
"Julius Caesar" (George Kleine), the American, First street and Rhode Island avenue.
Theda Bara in "The Devil's Daughter" (Fox Film Co.), the Empire, 215 H street northeast.
Henry B. Walthall in "The Woman Hater" (Essanay), the Olympic, 1421 J street.
Neil Craig and Sidney Almsworth in "The Sign of the Cross" (Essanay), the Favorite, First and H streets northwest.
Dorothy Bernard and Betty Nansen in "The Sign of the Cross" (Essanay), the Favorite, First and H streets northwest.
Raymond Hitchcock in "The Ring-tailed Rhinoceros" (Lubin), the Strand, Ninth and D streets.
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